"RIS" IS TRULY A SAD AFFAIR

Kate Carew Sees the New Production and Is Impressed with Gowns of Heroine.

DRESS FOR EACH CLIMAX

Another Scene that Makes It. salf Felt Is the One in Which the Imported Mr. Asche Breaks Up Housekeeping.

There is a melancholy operation known as "breaking up housekeeping" which is not unfamiliar in these latitudes. To see it performed with neatness and despatch, one should visit the Criterion Theatre, where the latest Pinero play, "Iris," was produced last night.

Miss Virginia Harned and Mr. Oscar Asche (of Her Majesty's Theatre London, by permission of Mr. Beerbohm Tree) had to come forth at 11.30 and bow, and bow, to an audience which kept thundering even as it wriggled into wraps and groped for hatpins. From an assemblage of experienced New Yorkers it was a great tribute to acknowledge that housekeeping had never been broken up so effectually as by Mr. Oscar

Asche (of Her Majesty's, etc.). Mr. Asche not only broke up house keeping, but he broke up the furniture The consequence was that he and Miss Harned took their "curtain calls" in the midst of a stage strewn with chair legs. table tops, sofa springs and pillow

Symphony of Gowns.

The breaking up of housekeeping (and furniture) was the last sad affair in the career of Iris Bellamy, to whom sad affairs had become familiar in the cours of five longish acts. Miss Virginia Harned symbolized the unfortunate lady's downward career in a progressive symphony of lovely gowns, each of a color to match the sad affair of that

In act I, she shimmered in something spangly and lizardy, topped off with real baptized to-day. dlamonds. That symbolized the love of luxury. It prevented her from marryluxury. It prevented her from marry-ing Lawrence Trenwith because he was has been in session for the last ten poor, and her late husband's will days in the Church of the First Born, wouldn't let her keep the fortune and a Bramhall and Ocean avenues, Jersey new husband, too, Maldanado, the City. The immersion will be in New financier, wanted to marry her himself. York Bay, at the foot of Claremont ave-First she said she would, then she said she wouldn't-and ended by telling Trenwith ("Lorry," she called him) to follow her to Italy.

Sad affair No. 2 demanded a white dress. Iris is having an unofficial honeymoon with Lorry. It's very real and very honeymoony. You can see Lake Como through the French windows, and Lorry flourishes a sketchbook, and Miss Harned throws some sofa pillows on the floor and sinks on them and strikes a fetching pose with a guitar. And you're just beginning to doubt whether the white dress belongs to such a sad affair, after all, when news comes that Iris has lost all her money. Whereupon lost all her money. Whereupon give bail in \$1,000 for his future good

Sad affair No. 3 is the checkbook affair.

Sad affair Maldanado's, you know. Iris is starting out in the world to be poor and wair for Lorry to come back. No more luxury! Oh, she is brave—and wears a brown dress. But the checkbook Maldy has deposited a few thousand pounds to her credit in his bank. Won't she

prudence. But brown is no match for Maldy's green checkbook. needed, the pink in her dress is con- bond was fixed at \$6,000.

The brown dress rustles with shocked

still adores her in his terrific way. She belongs to him, but in vain he shouts. "Melt! Be warm! be warm!" in vain offers her marriage, his fortune-anything for a smile that would enable bim to dispense with a sealskin over- Jumped from a Ferryboat Into the

Saddest affair of all-Lorry comes back. Black dress. Lorry must be told about-about everything. Such things J. H. Giles, who, it is said, was connect can't be told in colors-certainly never ed with the Special Reporting Company in white! A black dress for Lorry, but of No. 150 Broadway, New York, com Lorry decides that he can't forgive, mitted suicide to-day by jumping over-

Maldy has overheard his little Iris asking Lorry to take her away. He falls upon her with his hands at her throat, and for a few moments one is

It is thus that Mr. Oscar Asche breaks up housekeeping at the Criterion Thea-tre, and when Miss Virginia Harned has faded from view-still in black and with not so much as a handkerchief packed-

he finishes the furniture.
"Iris" in New York is much more like real life than it was in London, and much-very much-more weepy. Miss Harned played to the chokiest audience that I have seen for two seasons. When she asked Lorry to send her-some day her out in British Columbia-just for her out in British Columbia—just a picture—she'd like to see what—what i looked like!—why, strong men snuf-led, and women simply boo-hooed! Mr. Oscar Asche is a very powerful scior. The way the chairs and tables all apart when he picks them up is marvellous—they don't even wait to be award on the floor. KATE CAREW.

Big Lift for Gymnasium. CHICAGO, Sept. 24.—President Educated J. James, of Northwestern University, has sent out letters to the tensil asking \$100,000 toward the con-

MISS VIRGINIA HARNED AS IRIS ENDURES MANY SAD, SAD AFFAIRS. FIREBUC AMONG



CLARK WILL NAME

Democratic Convention in

cratic convention, which met at Boze

man yesterday, had but two nomina

tions to make, one for Associate Justice

Interest in the convention centred

about the action of the State Central

The State Committee, by a vote of 2

tion. The committee also decided that

the convention would meet later in the

chairman. Under the decision of the

committee the Clark people controlled

JUDGE DURAND OUT.

FLINT, Mich., Sept. 24.-Judge Geo. H.

Durand, of this city, who was stricken

with paralysis three weeks ago and is

now slowly recovering at his home, has

rithdrawn as the Democratic candidate

Heads a Delegation.

Girl Who Was "Cured" of Her Liking for the Stage One of Twenty Converts Called for

Jennie Olsen, of Philadelphia, who says she was "cured of being an actress" by the simple power of faith, and that she has not tasted liquor or smoked a cigarette since, is one of twenty reent converts made by Faith Curists

The ceremony will mark the closing of nue, Greenville, Brother Hancox officiat

A large number of Faith Curists and persons interested in the cult were i vited to the baptism ceremonies.

WARRANT FOR REDMOND.

rish Lender Must Answer for Recent Speech.

DUBLIN, Sept. 24.-The Court of King's Bench has ordered William H Redmond, M. P., who was summoned to appear before it as a result of his

RECEIVER FOR A PAPER.

please? No, no, Maldy! Never! Never! A. F. W. Leslie Appointed for Spirit of the Times.

Judge Adams in the United States District Court to-day, appointed as the Pink is the color of the fourth act. receiver of The Spirit of the Times and Committee, which met yesterday. There Iris is "keeping house" now, alas, in a The American Sportsman Alexander flat decorated in crushed-strawberry. If F. W. Leslie, formerly business manincriminating evidence were ager of the publication. Mr. Leslie's

She isn't kind to Maldy, though he still adores her in his terrific way. She belongs to him, but in vain he shouts.

"Melti Be warm!" he warm!" the proper be continued until further orders of the Court.

SUICIDE OF J. H. GILES.

East River.

PORT JEFFERSON, L. I., Sept. 24,floats sadly and Pharisaically board from the steamer Park City, in Long Island City.

Dead with Summons in Pocket. With a summons from the Oversee throat, and for a few moments one is reminded of a recent police affair. But he controls himself.

"You are the sort of woman to drive a hot-blooded man to the gallows!" he shouts.

"It was picked up in the water at the foot of West Flifty-fourth street to-day. The summons was dated Sept. 19, 1902, and was talked over and the decision to withwas signed Henry W. Berck.

To Governor.

A family council was held yesterday afternoon at which the Judge's condition was talked over and the decision to withwas signed Henry W. Berck. of the Poor of Hoboken in his pocket

HAS AN AUTO FOR HIS PATROL WAGON Police Capt. Kreuscher, in Far

Rockaway, Provides Against Time When He Must Forego Regular Wagons.

nty-ninth Police Precinct, in Far Rock way, makes inspections of his precinct in automobile. The machine has eating capacity for four, and has come

be called the "Red Sleuth." Capt. Kreuscher has had his automo ile for the last month, and he is a pro-iclent chauffeur, and his automobile ravels so fast that it is probable that he may engage in speed races and esablish a record for the Police Depart-

thing," he said to an Evening World eporter. "The first day 1 got the mathematical transfer of the said to an Evening World Property of the said to a said to an Evening World Property of the said to a said to a said to be sai lawbreaker would have any objection to be taken in an automobile to the police station. I may be called upon at any time to use my machine for such pur-puses, but I hope not." MONTANA JUSTICE

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THE TENEMENTS

Flames in Three Build-Infuriated by Rebuke ings Are Discovered to Have Been Started by Incendiaries.

BARREL FULL OF PAPER

Firemen Turn from an Investigation of Two Blazes to Put Out a Third-Tenants in a

Through the attempts to fire a number crowded tenement-houses in the vi nity of First and Second streets and venues A and B, the police and officers f the Fire Department believe an enertic pyromaniac is at work.

The apprehension of the numerous enants of the tenements amounts to lmost a panic, and because of three illdings having been set aftre within a short time and near each other the resi ents of that section had no sleep last

The neighborhood was first alarmed Bowen captured a man setting fire to the tenement-house in which he lives, at No. 70 Second avenue. Newspapers fined \$10 was sent to Bellevue.

Early this morning the residents of The paper had been placed close to the wood work.

The excited tenants had hardly reached neir beds again when Patrolman Wehr- plunged it into her husband's preast enberg discovered smoke issuing from

ompany No. 25, who were on their way lance, were hurried away. o make an investigation of the circommake an investigation of the circircumstances of the two plazes. They
had gone only a short distance together
when they saw flames issuing from the
basement grating of the tenement-house
at No. 136 Second street. An alarm was
sent in, and here the Fire Department
had a hard time. This fire also bore
the marks of incendiarism.

Mrs. Alstrefski is thirty-five years cld
and her husband five years her senior.
They have lived in Mazpeth several
years.

No People's Party for Them.
TOPEKA, Kan., Sopt. 24.—James Tapp.
of Wichitz and Lore Medden of Front

ING THIS SALE WEEK.

YORK, Pa., Sept. 24.-County Treashine I almost drove it through a barn, urer William O. Thompson, charged with but now I can handle it. We have no patrol wagon here during nine months of \$73,576, has been arrested and placed under \$50,000 bail. Thompson walved a hearing.

Wife Uses Knife on Man and Herself and Both May Die.

FOLLOWS BEATING GIRL.

Mother Was Punishing Her DaughterWho Ran to Father for Protection and Possibly Fatal Slashes Are Made.

Physicians of the German Hospital in Williamsburg are making special efforts to-day to save the lives of a husband and wife, of Maspeth, L. I., who are in a precarious condition from knife wounds inflicted by the woman in a drunken frenzy.

The man, Joseph Alstrefski, was stabbed in the breast with a longbladed jack-knife, the point of the blade penetrating his lung. After arly yesterday morning when Joseph the deed the oman prepared to go to bed, but when she saw a policem n approaching to arrest her picked and been piled in a back hall under the up the knife and drew the sharp stairs and a match applied. In the Centre Street Court he was attacked blade across her throat. The docwith delirium tremens, and after being tors are afraid their efforts to save the couple will be futile.

The stabbing was the outcome of the the tenement at No. 97 First avenue woman's fondness for liquor, her hus-were awakened by smoke streaming up band says. When he returned home from the cellar. They rushed to the from his work he found her intoxicated treet and Policeman Jones made an and beating her sixteen-year-old daughinvestigation. He found a barrel filled ter. The girl sought shelter behind by with burning paper near the coal bins. father and this infuriated the woman. ter. The girl sought shelter behind her Alstrefski rebuked and ordered her to

oed. Instead she went into the kitchen, picked up the knife, and without a word The girl ran from the house scream the first floor of the tenement-house ing, and neighbors congregated. One of at No. 103 Second street. Investigation them sent for an ambulance and another showed that this fire had been started for the police. It was when she saw by a pile of paper which had been placed the officer approaching that she drew the knife across her throat, seeming to Wehrenberg while returning to his prefer death to arrest. Husband and ost met several firemen from Engine wife, lying side by side in the ambu-

Mrs. Alstrefski is thirty-five years old

of Wichita, and John Madden, of Emoria, have refused the nominations of Attorney-General and Supreme Court Justice, respectively, on the allied People's Party ticket. This makes four of managers of the party probably wil

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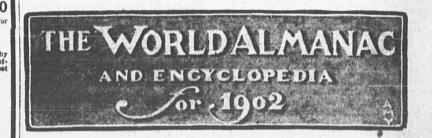
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